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In response to the Office Action dated July 21, 2005, Applicants respond as follows:

The Claims are presented in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.